

Town Talk

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THE WEATHER.

West Virginia—Partly cloudy to night; probably frost in west portion; Wednesday fair and warmer. Local Readings. F. P. Hall, Ob. Temperature at 8 a. m. today, 45. Yesterday's weather, cloudy; temperature, maximum, 61; minimum, 45; precipitation, .06.

EVENTS TONIGHT.

Y. M. C. A.—Reception for Miss Foster, secretary of the new Women's department. Pierpont avenue—World Wide Guild of First Baptist church at home of Miss Beatrice Fisher. Main street—Robert E. Lee chapter U. D. C., at home of Mrs. A. F. Peddicord. First Baptist church—Social by Key-stone class of the Sunday school. Pierpont avenue—Monthly meeting of Williams Memorial M. E. church at home of Mrs. R. A. Watts. Odd Fellows hall—Marion lodge. Red Men's hall—Marion lodge, Knights of Pythias. Knights of Pythias hall—Mountain City Temple. Modern Woodmen hall—Seaton Camp, Royal Neighbors. Normal school—Players' club. Maccabees hall—Marion club. Diamond St. M. E. church—Social meeting of the Links class. Barnes School—Entertainment by the pupils.

Civil Service Exams—Announcement has been made of an examination for stenographers and typewriters for the field service which will be held in Fairmont Saturday, May 19. Both men and women are eligible. Applicants must be aged 18 or over at the time of the examination. Those who wish to take this examination should apply at once to the secretary of the Fourth Civil Service district, Washington, D. C.

Mail Delivery Extended—Postmaster Manley has announced that hereafter people living on Mount Vernon and Coleman avenues and Seventh street will get their mail by carrier.

Thieves in Cellar—C. W. Watkins, who lives on Field street, has reported that a few nights ago burglars got into his cellar and stole potatoes valued at about \$8.

Confirmation at Mannington—Bishop Donahue, of Wheeling, will confirm a class at the Catholic church at Mannington this evening. He will be assisted by Father Bauldon, of this city, Father Flynn, of Morgantown, and other priests of the diocese.

Traction Company Inspection—An announcement has been made that the spring inspection of the Monongahela Valley Traction company lines and property will be made May 16 and 17.

Painfully Burned—While she was preparing to do some baking at her home on Green street Mrs. Russell P. Dickerson was painfully burned about the face and neck and one hand by an explosion of gas in the range.

Health Report—Dr. L. N. Yost, the county health officer, reports that during the month of April the following cases of communicable disease were reported at his office: Chickenpox, 9; diphtheria, 1; measles, 50; infantile paralysis, 1; typhoid fever, 10; whooping cough, 50.

Dan Maurer Back—Dan Maurer, commercial engineer for the Monongahela Valley Traction company, is back at his desk in the Watson building this morning after having been out of the city on business for a few days.

Engineers Here—Francis Blossom and L. R. Shattuck, chief engineer and electrical and mechanical engineer respectively of the firm of Sanderson and Porter, were in Fairmont yesterday afternoon making a further examination into the prospective site for the new power plant and producer station for the Monongahela Valley Traction company. Arthur Paul, landscape engineer of Philadelphia, and C. B. Voice, of Sanderson and Porter, were also here yesterday in connection with the Pleasant Valley development of the Greater Fairmont Investment company.

School Wants Flag—The Butcher school will begin a campaign to secure funds with which to purchase a new flag to adorn the Butcher school building. The one in use there has become torn and shrunken and must be replaced soon with another.

Fly Swatters at Work—The Swat the Fly campaign which the pupils of the Butcher school have undertaken, is progressing nicely and a large number of flies have fallen victims to the swatters in the hands of the children. B. L. Butcher, in whose honor the school is named, has donated a number of

badges with the inscription "I Will Help My City" and these are given each child after it has swatted one hundred of the little pests. Up to date a total of 3,926 flies have been swatted by the children of the grades of this school.

School Annual—The pupils of the eighth grade of the Butcher school are working hard on the school annual the "Butcher" which will soon be ready for the printer. The following is the staff:

Entertainment at School—An entertainment of an interesting nature will be given by the pupils of the Barnes school this evening. Those who will participate on the program are Virginia Watkins, Harold Parker, Thelma Parker, Goldie Satterfield, Dorothy Mason. An operetta will be given entitled Uncle Sam's Party by the pupils of the 5th and 6th grades.

Workmen's Compensation—Awards in settlement of claims by the state compensation department yesterday included the estate of John Souch, 36, single, of Farmington, killed by slate and coal fall in the mine of the Jamison Coal and Coke company at Fairmont, funeral expenses allowed of \$74.25.

Certified Accountant—The Board of Examiners for the examination of certified public accountants completed its work yesterday and recommended five men to Gov. Cornwell to receive a license to practice as certified public accountants. The following were recommended: P. M. McCutcheon, Charleston; S. B. Board, Fairmont; M. P. Morris, Huntington; J. Frank Seibert, Martinsburg; W. E. Wulff, Wheeling. S. C. Board is a member of the accounting firm of Board and Leeper with offices in the Jacobs building.

Emma Tessie's Pop Found—Emma Tessie Harris, the eight year, old colored girl that traveled alone from Tuscaloosa, Alabama to Fairmont has been delivered of the confines of the Municipal building and has found her father. He is a miner employed at Watson.

Clearing the Wharf—Mayor Anthony Bowen yesterday gave orders to Chief of Police Fred Harr that there would be a general work chopping party at the city wharf if the boat house of I. B. Hixenbaugh was not removed. It was not, and workmen began demolishing the eyesore and clearing the wharf.

Land Holding Corporation—A corporation of the following people has been formed for the purpose of holding a large tract of land on Cleveland avenue: Albert J. Kern, Kenneth Barnes, C. R. Musgrave, Edward Slack and J. R. Miller. The corporation will be known as the Cleveland Avenue Improvement company of Fairmont with authorized capital stock at \$25,000.

Mrs. Billingsley Very Ill—The condition of Mrs. Morgan Billingsley, one of the most highly respected women of the city who is seriously ill at her home on Locust avenue, remains practically unchanged today. Owing to her advanced years her condition is considered to be critical. She is suffering with an acute heart trouble.

New Clarksburg Restaurant—The Rogers and Johnson restaurant, declared to be the finest equipped restaurant in the state, was officially opened this morning in the new Monongahela Valley Traction company station building at Clarksburg.

Leaves Hospital—Mrs. Willard Embrey, who had been a patient at Cook hospital for several days, returned today to her home on Pierpont avenue.

William Evans Better—Master William Evans, the young son of Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Evans, who had been ill with pneumonia following an illness with measles, is considerably improved at this time. His condition had been serious.

Visited Sister—Miss Bertie McKinley, of Weston, was the guest over Sunday of her sister, Mrs. Boyd L. Nutter.

Student Visits Home—E. Rector McKinley, who is here attending the Normal school, spent Saturday and Sunday at his home at Weston. He was accompanied home by Master Robert Nutter.

Today's Legal Transfers—Olin Willard Skidmore and wife to Ben D. Orr, two lots in Buckhannon, Upshur county; \$1 and other consideration. F. M. Meredith and wife to the East Side Utility company, all the Pittsburgh coal underlying 6 acres in Winfield district; consideration, \$4,333. William N. Satterfield and wife to Joseph Marrone, lots 3 and 4 in the Hood's addition to Rivesville; consideration, \$1,500. William Satterfield and wife to Tonia Marra, lots 1 and 2 in the Hood's addition to Rivesville; consideration \$1,500.

Jury Has Deveny Case—The case of Thomas Deveny versus the Monongahela Valley Traction company which was begun in Circuit court last week went to the jury today but at present time the jury had not reported. The case is a suit for damages resulting from an automobile on a crossing of the Traction company, the plaintiff alleging that the crossing was in bad condition. This case is the last one on the docket for this term of court and the court will probably be adjourned this evening.

Another Little Loan For France—WASHINGTON, May 8.—France today received \$100,000,000 which the United States has decided to lend her to meet expenses in this country during May. The amount was transferred by Secretary McAdoo to Ambassador Jusserand today by treasury warrants.



We publish these little notes, realizing that the majority of you might have passed through life without knowing these duty important tips about the movie stars.

Evelyn Lightburn has five queer pets—an ant-eater, sardine, giraffe, clam and a mule. Just think of that!

Nothing pleases pretty Genevieve Coldsaw more, outside of working before the camera, than letting her luxurious curls unfurl to the zephyrs while gliding over the waves in her private yacht. Well! Well!

There, that's something to write home about.

Bessie Batty, after camera hours, is diligently doing her share. She removed a costly Japanese dwarf tree from its priceless vase and has planted three potatoes in its place. There's news for you.

HEARING ON WAR REVENUE BILL—WASHINGTON, May 8.—Public hearing on the war revenue bill will begin before the Senate Finance committee Friday.

MANNINGTON NEWS

Donley S. Jones, Correspondent. Leave news at Jones Sporting Goods Store, No. 12 Railroad Street.

Ready For Entertainment

The Fifty-second Grand Encampment I. O. O. F. of West Virginia, which opens a two session here Wednesday is expected to bring three hundred visiting Odd Fellows to our city. Wednesday morning will be spent in receiving and locating the visitors and the first session will be held in the Odd Fellows hall at eight-thirty in the evening when the Grand Encampment degree will be conferred.

On Wednesday morning will be held a public session at which Mayor J. D. Chilton will make the welcoming address on behalf of the city and Peter Henningson on behalf of the local Encampment with response by Grand Patriarch H. E. Rennard. Following this meeting a Grand Encampment session will be held in the Masonic temple. Wednesday evening band concerts will be held on Market street from six until seven o'clock by the local Elks and Woodmen bands at the conclusion of which a parade will form on Pleasant street and cover the principle streets of the city disbanding at the Clarksburg street school building where at eight o'clock a public session will be held in the Auditorium to which the public is invited. Thursday will be devoted to the business session of the Grand Encampment. As many automobiles as possible are needed for their parade on Wednesday evening.

Bought Property

O. N. Koen has purchased the Clark Dent property on Market street now occupied by the Prescription pharmacy.

Needing Funds

The Red Cross society needs money to carry on its work in this world war. Contributions will be accepted by the local chapter and forwarded to Washington.

Injured

Mrs. Harry Anderson suffered very painful injuries by a fall down a steep pair of stairs leading up the hill at the rear of her residence on Franklin street, Monday morning. An ankle was broken and she was badly cut and bruised about the head and body.

PERSONALS

Glen Snodgrass is home from Golden Cole where he has been in school for several months.

Miss Effie Anderson was home from Morgantown for Sunday.

The Misses Marie Craker, Julia and Emma Tompkins have returned to a shopping trip to Fairmont.

Mrs. A. E. Todd has gone to Baltimore and will return with her father, Calab Burt, who has been a patient in a hospital there the past month.

Mrs. H. J. Matthews has returned from Morgantown where she was visiting with relatives.

The Misses Mary Russel and Gertrude Swiger, of Fairmont, have returned to their home after a visit in this city with the Misses Florence and Marie Connelly.

Luther Cottrill left Monday for Philadelphia where he is stationed in the U. S. Navy yard.

Mrs. E. F. Phillips, of New Martinsville, has been the guest of her son, S. E. Phillips, the past week.

H. J. McKenzie who has been visiting his sister, Mrs. J. B. Cannon, has gone for a visit with his brother in Pittsburgh before returning to his home in Los Angeles, Cal.

Mrs. Mary Gray is a patient in the Cook hospital at Fairmont for an operation on her throat.

Chester Craker has returned from a visit with friends in Fairmont.

Born Saturday, May 6, to Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Richardson of Sunshine, a son.

Mrs. Edith Schriener has returned from a visit to Fairmont.

Examining Students For Officers' Billets

MORGANTOWN, May 8.—Major William Wallace of the United States Army is here today examining all applicants from the University of West Virginia cadet corps for entrance to the officers' training camp at Fort Benjamin Harrison, Ind.

FAIRVIEW.

Miss Virginia Morris was a weekend guest at her home.

Miss Goldie Jones and Miss Helen Yost, of Rivesville, were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Z. F. Yost Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Wilson, of Fairmont, were weekend guests of Mrs. Josephine Yost.

John Pitzer, of Bethal, was a business visitor here Saturday evening.

Miss Madeline Fleming was visiting friends at Morgantown this week.

Miss Olive Perkins, of Richmond, is expected here soon to visit her friends.

Miss Lillian McBee was shopping at Fairmont Saturday.

Father McFadden, of Fairmont, held services in the National House Sunday morning.

F. E. Siggins, of the Hope Gas office, was a weekend visitor at his home at Clarksburg.

Mr. Core, of Miracle run, is visiting his daughter, Mrs. C. C. Billingslea.

W. E. Michael is at Washington, D. C., spending a few weeks.

Mrs. J. B. Machesney is visiting her daughter, Mrs. David Sturgis, at Morgantown.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Crone, of Fairmont, was a weekend guest of her mother, Mrs. Rilla Sine.

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The Ladies Aid Society of the M. E. church sprang quite a surprise on Mrs. J. W. Taylor of Orchard Hill, Saturday evening. The evening was spent in social conversation, everyone enjoying themselves. At 10:30 Mrs. Myrtle Connor showered Mrs. Taylor with some packages. After being opened they proved to be many beautiful handkerchiefs as a token of remembrance from her friends in the Ladies' Aid. These were very much appreciated by Mrs. Taylor. Those being present were Mrs. James Dawson, Mrs. Eva Cowan, Mrs. Myrtle Connor, Mrs. Caroline Edinger, Mrs. Rebecca Fox, Mrs. Frank Batson, Mrs. Sarah Wright, Miss Malissa Price, Mrs. Cal Fox, Mrs. Minnie Ammons, Mrs. Clyde Snodgrass, Miss Bessie Cowan, Miss Juanita Dawson, Miss Evelyn Dawson, Miss Nell Ammons, Master Everett Ammons, Master Robert Taylor, Miss Mary Snodgrass, Mrs. J. W. Taylor.

Carl Hamilton was a business visitor at Bridgeport Monday.

Stephen Mason, of R. F. D. No. 2, was a business visitor here Monday.

Dr. O. C. Bradley, of Wadestown, was a business visitor here Monday.

The Misses Jones, of R. F. D. No. 1, were in town shopping Monday.

There will be a mothers' meeting at the home of Mrs. J. A. Smith Tuesday night.

INDUSTRIAL FAIRMONT

Twenty-one tons of Albarine stone for the Consolidation Coal company's laboratory arrived in the local yards today and were transported to the new building. The stone is a superior soap stone which contains more silica than the common soap stone and is therefore harder, being well adapted to the purpose for which it will be used; that is, as tops for tables and cabinets and also for constructing large hoods for maintaining an even temperature necessary in certain operations in the laboratory. Carpenters were today engaged in completing the cabinets preparatory to equipping them with stone tops and it is expected that by the end of the week the workmen may begin putting the tops in place. A number of marble slabs, which will be used in the toilet rooms and the bath room, arrived yesterday but two of the slabs were damaged in transit and will have to be replaced. The hardware which is to be used in installing the marble has not yet arrived but it is hoped that it will be arrived by the end of the week.

here when the extra slabs arrive and the laboratory will then be entirely completed.

Tickets for the automobile races to be held at Uniontown on Thursday of this week are on sale at the Standard Garage and local people who expect to attend should secure their tickets at once to insure getting good accommodations. The tickets are for sale at from three dollars up, three dollars being the price for the general admission.

A charter was granted yesterday to the Pecks Run Coal company, Fairmont; capital \$25,000; to operate in Marion county; incorporators, J. W. Devision and M. P. Foye, both of Grant Township; F. P. Foye and M. P. Foye, Jr., both of Brownstown, Pa., and E. E. Williams of Hall, W. Va.

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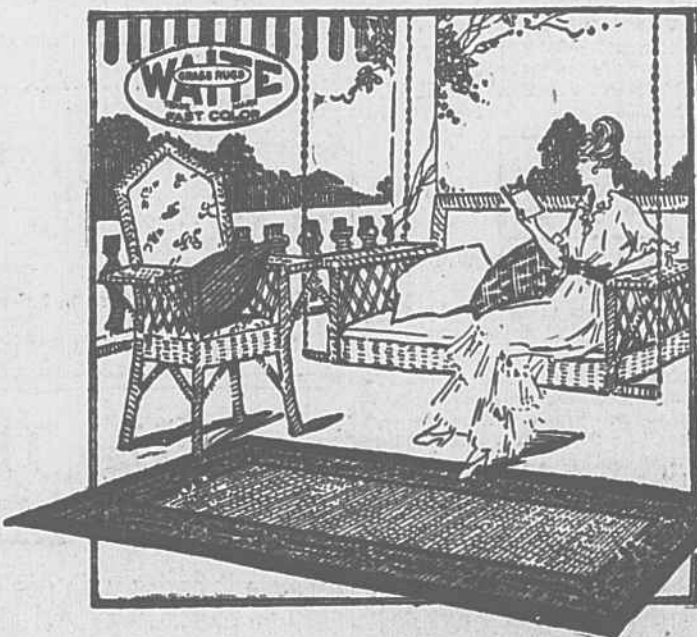
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